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**Winter hunt for moose in GMU 26A on the Colville River  
opened by emergency order by the  
Alaska Department of Fish and Game**

The Alaska Department of Fish and Game announced an emergency opening of a winter moose hunting season in Game Management Unit 26A in the Colville River drainage upstream from and including the Anaktuvuk River drainage. The season will be open to resident hunters from February 15, 2006 until April 15, 2006. The bag limit is 1 moose; however, a person may not take a calf or a cow accompanied by a calf. During the period January 1 through March 31 the Unit 26A Controlled Use Area stipulates that aircraft are not allowed for moose hunting except for transportation between publicly owned airports. All hunters must have a valid state hunting license and a moose harvest ticket/report card which are available from license vendors and at the Alaska Department of Fish and Game offices.

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